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AMENDMENT

To the Director of Patents and Trademarks

Sir:

In response to the Decision of the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences (Board) mailed September 6, 2005, kindly amend the application as follows:

Kindly enter and approve the following, which is a clean copy of each replacement paragraph/section/claim incorporating the respective changes made, previously as well as concurrently, with the concurrent changes shown on separate sheet(s) attached hereto and entitled "Version with markings to show changes made." No new matter has been added by the amendment(s).

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